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" " arrives	1:40	P. M.
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GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA.

SESSION OF 1876-'77.

SENATE.

EIGHTEENTH DAY.

MONDAY, Dec. 11.

The Senate met at 11 A. M., Mr. President Robinson in the chair.

The journal of Saturday was read and approved.

PETITIONS, MEMORIALS, &C.

By Bryant, col., of Halifax: A petition for the incorporation of the town of Ringgold, Halifax county. Referred to Committee on Corporations.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Senator Troy, from the Committee on Finance; Robins, from the Committee on Judiciary; Latham, from the Finance Committee; Albright, from the Committee on Corporations; Folk, from the Judiciary Committee; Graham, from the Judiciary Committee, submitted reports.

A communication addressed to Hon. J. L. Robinson, was received from the secretary of the electoral college, transmitting a resolution of thanks of the college, for the use of the Senate chamber on the day of its meeting. Spread upon the journals.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

A message was received from the House, announcing its concurrence in certain bills.

Also a message transmitting several bills and resolutions and asking concurrence. These were placed on the calendar.

BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

By Senator Bingham: To amend sec. 41, chap. 63, Battle's Revisal, Judiciary.

By Senator Askew: A bill in relation to the bonds of county officers. Judiciary.

By Senator Troy: A resolution of instruction to the State Geologist. [Requesting him to furnish to the General Assembly such statistics as he may think of value in enabling the Genaral Assembly to decide upon the propriety of establishing a department of agriculture at the University. Also what steps can be taken to save our people from fraud in the purchase of commercial fertilizers.] Calendar.

By Senator Hughes: To amend an act to incorporate the Oxford Colored Educational Institution. Referred.

The chair announced the following additions to committees:

On County Government—Senators Marler, Justice and Sandifer

On Judiciary—Senators Mebane, Stewart, Ferguson and Bingham.

CALENDAR.

Resolution requesting the President of the W. N. C. Railroad to report what amount of the claim against Geo. W. Swepson and M. S. Littlefield has been collected, and what steps are being taken to collect said claim, &c. Adopted.

Bill to amend chap. 87, sec. 40, Battle's Revisal. [Provides that any pilot who absents himself from the State for the period of 10 days, shall have his license revoked.]

The bill passed its second reading, and being upon its third reading passed—Yeas, 33; nays, none.

Bill to amend chap. 83, sec. 4, Battle's Revisal, came up and was referred to the Judiciary Committee.

H B to allow citizens of Jackson to pass through the toll gates of Swain, free of charge. Referred to Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

Bill in reference to the shad fisheries of Albemarle Sound. Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

House resolution proposing to pay Hon R M Pearson and others $100, for certain services rendered, viz: for comparing the vote on the amendments, and $31 for clerical aid necessarily employed.

Senator Askew moved to amend by striking out $100 and insert ng $60. Lost.

After a division the bill passed its second reading.

The rule were suspended and the resolution put upon its third reading, and it passed, ayes 23, nays 14.

Senator Crawford in explaining his vote said: "It affords me peculiar pride and gratification to vote no. The treasury department is tee nearly exhausted. Senator Nicholson explained his vote saying that he was sure there was some provision in either the constitution or laws which prohibited the Chief Justice to receive any pay other than his salary.

The resolution of Senator Troy in regard to a department of agriculture at the University, came up and passed its second reading.

A resolution from the House, allowing the principal clerks to purchase stationery. Referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Senator Mebane, of Rockingham, a resolution giving the engrossing clerk of the two houses and the enrolling clerks of the General Assembly the same per diem as that given the principal and assistant clerks, the resolution to take effect from the first day of the present session

The resolution passed its third and final reading, yeas 20, nays 17, and was ordered to be engrossed and sent to the House.

Bill to indemnify the county of Gates to the amount of $369 for the support of certain lunatics in the county, for whom quarters in the insane asylum could not be secured, came up from the calendar, and passed its second and third readings, yeas 23, nays 17.

Senator Moore, col., was allowed to change his vote to "no," on the resolution giving Judge Pearson $100 for counting the vote on the amendments.

Resolution in favor of Seth W. Mabray, of Warren county, passed over until after the recess.

The bill to secure the better protection of human life, providing that doors of theatres and other places of amusement, be made to open on the outside, and that they be provided with modes of egress, was upon motion of Senator Graham passed over for the present.

Bill in relation to the paupers of the State. [Prohibits the hiring out of paupers publicly or privately, and orders the support of paupers at county poor houses, or if there be no poor house in any county, at such place as the county commissioners may select.]

Senator Troy moved to make special order for January 12 at 12 M.

Senator Robins moved to lay on the table.

Senator Askew urged immediate action.

Senator Troy withdrew his motion and asked for the previous question, his call was sustained, and the bill on its second reading failed to pass.

Another bill on the same subject was laid on the table.

Bill to alter the mode of paying Solicitors. [Provides that Solicitors shall not receive half fees in any action in which the defendant is acquitted.] Passed its several readings, yeas 28, nays 4.

Senator Mebane, of Rockingham, in explanation of his vote on this measure said that he voted no, because bills were sometimes found upon presentments by grand juries which could not be sustained, and that Solicitors who are now so nearly starved out in some districts would under this bill be subject to unjust hardships.

By Senator Cunningham, by consent, a bill to authorize the town of Milton to subscribe $10 000 to the Milton & Sutherlin Narrow Gauge Railroad. Calendar.

By Senator Liles: To amend rule 43, so as to prohibit smoking in the lobbies and the library and in the open room opposite thereto. Calendar.

Upon motion of Senator Cunningham, the rules were suspended and the bill to authorize the town of Milton to subscribe $10,000 to the Milton & Sutherlin Narrow Gauge Railroad was taken up.

The chair raised the point that the bill would have to pass three readings on three several days before it could become a law, and there not being time for this before the recess, the bill was upon motion placed upon the calendar.

Upon motion of Senator Robins the vote by which the bill for the protection of paupers, failed to pass, was reconsidered, and the bill was laid upon the table.

Bill to repeal chap. 151, acts of 1874-'75, was upon motion of Senator Latham, indefinitely postponed.

Leave of absence was asked and granted Senators Short and Sandifer from and after to-day.

Bill to prevent malicious injury to personal property [making it a misdemeanor], passed its several readings; yeas 34, nays 1.

Upon motion of Senator Liles, the Senate adjourned until to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

The House was called to order at 11 a. m. by Mr. Speaker Price.

Prayer by Rev. Dr. Marshall, of the city.

Journal of Saturday read and approved.

PETITIONS, MEMORIALS, &C.

Mr. Richardson presented a petition from certain citizens of Columbus county, opposing a repeal of the law prohibiting the sale of liquor near Piney Forest Church in that county. Calendar.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Todd, of Ashe, from the Committee on Corporations; Mr. Staples, from the Judiciary Committee; Mr. Shackelford, from the Committee on Engrossed Bills; Mr. Gudger, from the Committee on Propositions and Grievances, submitted reports.

RESOLUTIONS AND BILLS

By Mr. Shackelford: A resolution in favor of the Engrossing and Enrolling Clerks. Calendar.

By Mr. Wilson, of Burke: A resolution for the purchase of stationery. Calendar.

By Mr. King: A bill to regulate the service of summons, court orders, &c., by publication in newspapers. Committee on Judiciary.

By Crews, col.: A bill to amend the act in favor of ministers of the gospel. Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. Peel: A bill to amend chapter 27, section 22, Battle's Revisal. Committee on Judiciary.

On motion of Mr. Rowland, the rules were suspended and the bill to incorporate the the town of Laurinburg, Richmond county, was taken up and passed its second reading by a vote of yeas 71; nays 1.

CALENDAR

Bill to amend section 2 chapter 26, Battle's Revisal, was taken up and passed its several readings.

On motion of Mr. Cooper, the bill to require the Secretary of State to insert the number of tracts on every land grant and to empower the Register of Deeds to do so in certain cases, was taken up and, on motion of Mr. Graves, postponed until Jan. 1st, and ordered to be printed.

On motion of Mr. Wilson, the resolution for the purchase of stationery, was taken up and passed its several readings.

On motion of Mr. Rose, the Senate amendments to the bill providing for the registration of deeds and other instruments of writing and making valid certain others, were concurred in.

Bill to extend the time of the sheriff of Dare county to settle with the State Treasurer, was taken up and passed its third reading.

On motion of Mr. Ormond, the bill to amend chap 239, laws of 1874-'75, was taken up and passed its several readings. [Repeals the law to prohibit selling liquor near Little Creek Church, Greene county.]

Resolution asking our members of Congress to procure such legislation that will give to negroes of the South two or three of the territories west of the Missouri for their exclusive use, was taken up. The resolution was introduced by Williamson, colored.

Mr. Cobb moved to refer to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Mr. Carter, of Buncombe, moved to refer to the Committee on Insane Asylum.

Williamson, col., said that he had come to the conclusion that the two races could not live in the South in that harmony that was necessary and desirable. In this opinion he was backed by a large portion of his race. He moved to postpone the further consideration of the matter until Jan. 10.

Mr. Pinnix moved to table the whole matter. On this motion the yeas and nays were called, and the motion was lost by vote of yeas 37; 50. Williamson's motion to postpone until Jan. 10 was adopted.

By Mr. Shotwell; A resolution to appoint a Joint Committee to consider the Constitutional Amendments. The resolution provides that the Committee shall consist of five on the part of the Senate and eight on the part of the House. He shall set the days during the recess when they shall hear suggestions from all quarters and furnish the General Assembly on its reassembling with an outline of the conclusions as to what legislation under the recently adopted Amendments is needed &c.

On motion of Mr. Shotwell the rules were suspended, the resolution was taken up for consideration.

Mr. Cooper did not see the necessity or utility of the proposition.

Mr. Parish was heavily in favor of it. He had not made up his mind as to the exact course he should pursue in this matter; and would like to have the benefit of the views of distinguished gentlemen throughout the State.

Mr. Huck moved to strike out that portion of the resolution which allow the Committee the same per diem as members of the General Assembly during this three day's session during the recess.

After quite a lengthy debate the resolution was adopted.

By Mr. Powell: A resolution in favor of W. T. King.

On motion of Mr. Powell, the rules were suspended and the resolution passed its several readings.

[Give, him $4 for attendance as witness before the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds.]

On motion of Mr. Bledsoe, the resolution giving Thomas Hampson $20 for assisting the Secretary of State in tabulating the vote for electors was, taken up.

On motion of Mr. Leach, it was referred to the Committee on Claims

On motion of Mr. Cooper, the bill to reduce the price of public printing was taken up, but pending any action the hour for the

SPECIAL ORDER

was announced, which was the majority and minority reports of the Committee on Privileges and Elections in regard to the right of John W. Dunham to a seat on the floor of the House, as a member from New Hanover, and the validity of the election for members of the House of Representatives in Pender and New Hanover counties.

The questions which the reports discuss were:

1. How many members is New Hanover county entitled to on the floor of this House?

2. Is Pender county entitled to a Representative in this House?

3 Is Alfred Lloyd, the sitting member, entitled to a seat in this House, from Pender county?

4. Whether John W. Dunham is not entitled to a seat in this House, by reason of the votes cast for him at the late election?

5 Are James Wilson and Joseph C. Hill, the sitting members, entitled to seats in this House, from New Hanover county?

6 How many candidates for seats in this House were voted for in New Hanover and Pender counties at the late election for members of the General Assembly; what were the names of those candidates, and how many votes were cast for each?

The question recurred upon the adoption of the minority report, signed by Messrs. Moring, Ransom and McBrayer, which presented these resolutions:

1. That John W. Dunham, contestant for a seat in this House as a Representative from the county of New Hanover, is not entitled thereto.

2. That the seats of Alfred Lloyd, sitting member from Pender county, and of James Wilson and Joseph C. Hill, sitting members from New Hanover county, be declared vacant.

3. That the Speaker of this House inform the Governor that the seats of three members of this House from the county of New Hanover are vacant, to the end that an election may be held to fill the same.

The majority report, signed by Messrs. Henderson, Pinnix, Purnell, Clarke, of Craven and Harrison, sets forth that the election for members of this House in New Hanover and Pender counties was legal, and that the sitting members from New Hanover, Messrs. Wilson and Hill, and the sitting member from Pender, Alfred Lloyd, col., are entitled to retain their seats, and beg to be discharged from the further consideration of the matter.

Various motions to postpone until after the recess were discussed to a great length, and finally voted down.

The question recurred upon the minority report.

Mr. Moring took the floor in advocacy of its adoption and spoke to some length.

Mr. Pinnix supported the views of the majority of the committee in an elaborate argument.

Mr. Carter, of Buncombe, argued at length in favor of the minority report.

Mr. Bagley favored the adoption of the minority report.

Mr. Wilson, of Transylvania, offered a resolution requesting the Committee on Privileges and Elections to prepare a series of questions embracing all the matters of law involved in this contest from New Hanover and Pender counties, and that the Speaker of the House be requested to ask an opinion from the Justices of the Supreme Court upon the subject as soon as possible after the meeting in January next.

The resolution was placed on the calendar.

Mr. Russell took the floor in support of the majority report.

Pending definite action the House adjourned.

Peace Institute.

Last evening the members of the General Assembly were invited to the Peace Institute to witness a musical and calisthenic exercises of the girls. There was a good attendance notwithstanding the inclemency of the weather and the darkness of the unlighted streets of Raleigh. Among the distingnished visitors present were the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House,

The following was the musical programme:

Chorus: "Come merry maidens."—Gabusii.

"The last smile."—Instrumental solo—Wollenhaupt.

"The Raft."—Vocal solo—Pimenti.

"Hear me Norma."—Vocal duet—Bellini.

"La Gazelle,"—Instrumental solo—Hoffman.

"Wild Flowers."—Vocal solo—Donizetti.

Chorus: "Breezes so softly sighing"—Campana

"Hush"—Vocal solo—Dolores.

"Irish Diamonds No, 2"—Instrumental solo—Pape.

All of the pieces were well rendered—some of them were most beautifully performed, showing the thorough method of that most excellent of teachers, Professor Baumann. After the conclusion of this charming feature of the entertainment, the audience, upon invitation of the Principal, adjourned to the gymnastic hall, where for an hour they were delighted witnesses of the calisthenic exercises. All the various and intricate motions, evolutions, twistings and turnings, marchings and counter-marchings, were performed with the most marked precision and effect. The general verdict of the spectators was that this peculiar feature of Peace Institute is admirable in the extreme, and deserves to be copied in every institution for girls in the State. About the hour of ten, the exercises concluded, and the audience dispersed well pleased no doubt, with all that they saw and heard.

A Tall Darkey.

A Chatham county negro, who measures six feet eight and a half inches in height, was in the city Saturday, and attracted no small amount of attention. They measured him with several of the tall people of Raleigh, and he out-measured them all. Like Saul, the son of Kish, "from his shoulders and upward he was higher than any of the people." He and Mr. Best backed up against each other, and he was three and a half inches taller than Mr. Best. They backed him up against a wall and measured him, and he was found to measure just six feet and eight and a half inches. He was shivering with cold, too, and was all drawn up. Mr. Best threw his head way back so as to see Chatham's face, and asked him how was the weather up there, but he didn't answer. Capt. Tom Arrington engaged him to keep the Giraffe when the circus starts.

Election of Officers.

At the sixth annual meeting of the Rescue Steam Fire Engine Company, held last night at Rescue Hall, the following officers were elected fo the year 1877;

Foreman, Samuel Merrit,

Assistant Foremen Geo. Crewshaw

Corresponding Secretary, Theo T. Fentress.

Financial Secretary and Treasurer, W. T. Blake.

Engineer, W. C. Betts.

Assistant Engineers, W. H. Adams, Joe T. Ridout.

Hose Director, Frank Brannan.

Assistant Hose Director, John M. Carver.

The Death of an Old Citizen.

Mr. Joseph Howard who sufferred a stroke of last Saturday evening and fell on the street which ... was noticed in the NEWS ... morning, died Sun... from the effect of th... was a tailor by trad... of great respectab...

390 pairs count... and a lot of t... at Woollcot...

The Y. M. C. A.

Notwithstanding the inclemency of the weather quite a large audience assembled at the Presbyterian Church Sunday evening, to participate in the exercises of the union religious meeting, held under the auspices of the Young Men's Christian Association, for the purpose of exciting interest in the cause of the poor of the city, who are already beginning to feel the pinchings of want. The exercises were opened with religious services by Rev. Drs. Pritchard and Vaughan, after which the President of the Young Men's Christian Association, Donald W. Bain, Esq., submitted his report of the work of the association during the preceding year.

In doing so he gave a brief outline of the organization and purposes of the association, stating its objects as dual, viz: for the fostering of evangelical religion among the young men of the city, and for the relief of the poor. Mr. Bain gave the following as the work of the association in behalf of the poor, during the cold season of 1875-'76, for which figures he stated that he was indebted to Mr. Wm. S. Primrose, the treasurer of the association, by whom the funds entrusted were faithfully kept and judicially disbursed:

During the months of December, January, February, March and April 279 rations were issued, lasting each person, as calculated, 15 days; at $1 each, $279. 200 loads of wood were furnished, costing, including expenses, about $150. For all other purposes of the organization, including burial expenses of some poor persons, $128; total amount raised $557. The colored citizens of Raleigh, through their association, collected and paid into the treasury of the white association $50, which was expended in the direction which the donors contemplated.

Mr. Bain continued: "The figures thus shown exhibit a commendable liberality on the part of our people, but the amount received was not equal to the demand. As we pursued our daily work in dispensing these benefits our prayers ascended to God for His blessings upon you who furnished the means of relief. But the poor we have always with us. Their cry for help still comes to us. Our hearts are still moved by the stories of distress and want which are daily recounted to us, and more sad when the fact is recalled to mind that we have not the means to provide relief. We must needs turn to you who have so often come to our assistance. We present the cause of the poor to you again. The demand is great. The amount of relief to be afforded is to be measured by your offerings. We feel confident that, when you reflect on the great amount of suffering even now in the city, as we state it to you, you will not fail to meet the emergency."

Addresses were delivered by Rev. Drs. Vaughan and Pritchard, Mr. A. M. McPheeters, Mr W. H. Pace and Mr. J. M. Heck. At the close of the exercises a collection was taken up and $56.61 were raised.

The monthly meeting of the association will be held this evening at the office of Dr. Nail, on Fayetteville street. At this meeting a board of distributors will be organized for the prosecution of the work of the winter. Collectors will be appointed to wait on the citizens and solicit donations. We trust they will be cordially received and generously supplied with means

Mayor's Court.

The Mayor had a full docket Sunday and yesterday. Willis Alston, col., was up for the larceny of the overcoat of Mr. N. G. Whitfield, from his room at the Grange Hotel; defendant did not deny the theft, and was commit ed to jail in default of bail $200.

Major Kerr, col, for being drunk in the market, was fined $5 and cost, failing to pay which, he went to jail.

John Jones, col, for being drunk in the streets, was given 24 hours in the lock-up.

Charles Alston, col., for being drunk and disorderly, was fined $5 and cost.

Jacob Moore, col., for fast driving in the streets, was released upon paying cost

Hop at Cameron.

We make our acknowledgements for an invitation to attend a hop to be given at Cameron, on the Raleigh and Augusta Air-Line Railroad, next Friday night, the 15th instant, under the auspicies of the Cameron Pleasure Club, of which Capt. James R. Young is the President, and Mr. Chas. Conner, Jr., Secretary. Messrs J. M. Foust, M. Baker, J. R McAuley, and Wm. Britton compose the committee of invitations. Though we shall be deprived of the pleasure of being with our Cameron friends on the occasion we wish them a very ... evening.

CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS

A Proclamation by the Governor of North Carolina.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
RALEIGH, Dec. 11, 1876.

WHEREAS, At an election held in the several counties of the State of North Carolina, on Tuesday the 7th day of November, A. D., 1876, for the Ratification or Rejection of sundry amendments to the Constitution of North Carolina, proposed by a Constitutional Convention of the people of said State, begun and held in the city of Raleigh, on the 5th day of September, A. D. 1875, the votes for and against said amendments having been opened and canvassed according to law in my presence by Hon. Richmond M. Pearson, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, and it appearing that the whole number of votes cast for "Ratification" was one hundred and twenty thousand one hundred and fifty-nine, and the number of votes cast for "Rejection" was one hundred and six thousand five hundred and fifty-four, showing a majority in favor of the ratification of said amendments of thirteen thousand six hundred and five votes, (exclusive of the votes cast in the counties of Cherokee, Graham and Robeson, which were omitted by reason of defects in the returns.)

Now, therefore, I, Curtis H. Brogden, Governor of the State of North Carolina, do hereby declare that all the said proposed Amendments to the Constitution of North Carolina have been duly ratified by the people of said State according to the forms and requirements of law, and will become on the first day of January, A. D. 1877 a part of the Constitution of said State.

Done at the city of Raleigh, on the 11th day of December, A. D. 1876 and in the one hundred and first year of American Independence.

C. H. BROGDEN.

By the Governor:
J. B. NEATHERY,
Private Secretary.

The following table contains the official vote of each county of the State, save of Cherokee, Graham and Robeson which were thrown out on account of irregularities. The vote of the three rejected counties would have increased the majority for the amendments 486.

COUNTIES.	Ratification.	Rejection.
Alamance	1,346	1,173
Alexander	842	308
Alleghany	444	129
Anson	1,597	1,290
Ashe	1,055	827
Beaufort	1,660	1,548
Bertie	1,124	1,464
Bladen	1,447	1,554
Brunswick	996	1,055
Buncombe	1,991	1,148
Burke	1,192	532
Cabarrus	1,649	907
Caldwell	1,180	259
Camden	662	554
Carteret	1,118	697
Caswell	1,442	1,641
Catawba	1,864	422
Chatham	2,115	1,846
Cherokee		
Chowan	625	799
Clay	324	161
Cleaveland	1,738	452
Columbus	1 437	760
Craven	1,252	2,886
Cumberland	2,140	2,154
Currituck	973	366
Davidson	1,775	1,789
Davie	1,040	694
Duplin	2,124	1,263
Dare	248	210
Edgecombe	1,652	3,831
Forsythe	1,477	1,496
Franklin	1,851	1,910
Gaston	1,193	809
Gates	842	566
Granville	2,139	2,387
Greene	866	1,057
Guilford	2,293	1,958
Graham*		
Halifax	1,667	3,211
Harnett	1,042	755
Haywood	995	892
Henderson	628	823
Hertford	975	1,082
Hyde	936	664
Iredell	2,393	1,209
Jackson	684	208
Johnston	2,043	1,782
Jones	578	810
Lenoir	1,170	1,509
Lincoln	1,137	609
Macon	822	230
Madison	841	868
Martin	1,315	1,149
McDowell	934	525
Mecklenburg	3,347	2,645
Mitchell	492	758
Montgomery	634	759
Moore	1,378	1,170
Nash	1,675	1,352
New Hanover	1,625	2,960
Northampton	1,374	2,176
Onslow	1 299	544
Orange	2,335	1,691
Pasquotank	786	1,219
Pender	1,150	1,284
Perquimans	822	1,008
Person	1 197	971
Pitt	2,121	1,893
Polk	382	344
Pamlico	696	526
Randolph	1,782	1,533
Richmond	1,377	1,415
Robeson		
Rockingham	2,073	1,458
Rowan	2,193	1,192
Rutherford	1,223	1,123
Sampson	2,078	1,698
Stanly	955	413
Stokes	1,149	936
Surry	1,328	1,021
Swain	353	93
Transylvania	463	217
Tyrrell	542	266
Union	1,532	657
Wake	4,223	4,453
Warren	1,309	2,484
Washington	667	997
Watauga	725	212
Wayne	2,226	2 209
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Our subscribers will greatly oblige us by giving prompt information of any delay in receiving their papers.

THE Legislature adjourns to-morrow until December 30th.

EXCLUSIVE of the electoral votes of Florida, South Carolina and Louisiana, Tilden has 185 votes, properly certified, and Hayes 165.

THE *Union* is the name of the new Democratic journal just established at Washington. It is a handsome four-page paper, and will be the organ of the National Democratic party.

THERE is a probability of the impeachment of Judge Bond, for his gross and inexcusable misconduct in South Carolina. The matter is a subject of discussion at Washington.

EVEN the Republicans commend the moderation of the Southern Democrats in the present crisis. The continued prevalence of prudent counsel is the best guarantee of a peacable and triumphant settlement of the election question.

THE Democrats have determined not to impeach Grant. Hon. Abram S. Hewitt, Chairman of the National Democratic Committee, has lately been closeted a number of times with the President; and speaks of his Excellency in terms of unbounded praise. These are not bad signs.

JUDGE Jeremiah S. Black has published his views on the situation.—Universal consent accords to his argument the palm for grasp of conception, terse felicity of expression, and absolute conclusiveness on the theory of Mr. Tilden's right to the Presidency. Elsewhere we print his letter in full.

SENATOR MERRIMON has been placed on the Senate sub-committee of three to visit South Carolina and investigate the election in that State. His acute intellect, his prudence, patience and courageous adhesion to his own views of right, will avail much in a work of this kind.

CONKLING comes to the front with a denial of the cheering report that he had declared his purpose to resist the Republican conspiracy for counting in Hayes. The yellow-locked Auburnian is still among those patriotic citizens who are anxiously waiting to see how the cat is going to jump.

A HORRIBLE conspiracy among the negroes of Abbeville county, South Carolina, to kill all the men and capture the women in the village of Lowndesville, has been brought to light. They were foiled in their barbarous attempt, but not before they had murdered two of their intended victims. The murderers were caught, and it is supposed have been lynched. We had hoped that such atrocities would cease after the election; but the usurpation of Chamberlain is stirring the public mind with new excitements, and the Lowndesville massacre is, we fear, the beginning of fresh troubles.

IT is believed in Washington that Grant will sustain Chamberlain; and that he will ride rough-shod over all the forms of law, and drive Hampton and his friends out of Columbia, at the point of the bayonet. General Ruger's reply to the Democratic committee last week, showing his purpose to prevent the Democratic House from entering the Capitol, indicates that this belief is well-founded. There is no hope for South Carolina, unless Tilden is in[au]gurated. Hayes would [be] ment Gra[nt] the Chan[ce] thing po[ssi]ble of [the] is reg[ard] the most North [Carolina] Majo[rity]

THE RADICAL PROGRAMME.

The New York *Times*, the organ of the National Republican party, says:

The question of what will be done with the electoral vote of Oregon is a very simple one. The legal vote will reach the President of the Senate by the messenger appointed, and will be opened as the Constitution requires and it will "then be counted."

The Republican programme in regard to the Oregon vote is here plainly unfolded. The President of the Senate is to recognize as the messenger from Oregon the bearer of the vote cast by the Republican electors, and refuse to receive the certificate forwarded under the seal of the State. According to their view, the Republican electors "obeyed the law; the Governor defied it." The *Times* adds, that "the absurd action of the man Cronin, himself without a shadow of title to the office of Elector, proceeding to name a couple of his fellow-schemers as Electors, and then assuming to cast a vote of the State, is too ridiculous for further mention."

The object of the course indicated by the *Times* is to secure for Hayes the *prima facie* case before the Senate. If they can get [the] votes from the certificates which the President of the Senate will open at the appointed time, their chances for a final triumph would be vastly improved. The old adage, "possession is nine points of the law," is quite as applicable to Presidential offices as to lands, tenements and hereditaments.

Should the schemers fail in this, they will concede the right to go behind the seals of the States, and will allow the exclusion of electoral votes such as those of Florida, Louisiana and South Carolina. Then the Senate, backed by the *ex parte* testimony which the Committee on Privileges and Elections will accumulate respecting the elections in Alabama, Mississippi and Georgia, will insist on excluding the votes of those States; and this would give Hayes a clear majority of all the electoral votes not in dispute.

A deep-laid scheme of this sort, it is surmised, lies behind the investigation resolution of Mr. Edmunds, under which the Committee on Privileges and Elections commenced work some days ago.

The facts and surmises which we have recited afford us but an inkling of the daring conspiracy which is being worked out by Chandler and Grant, and their confederates. What other schemes they may have on foot, we know not; but sufficient is known already to convince the country that the most desperate, unscrupulous and villainous means will be employed in the attempt to override the will of the people, and seat Hayes. The only safety for us, is in the wisdom and courage of the Democratic House of Representatives. They, and they alone, can defeat the Republican game.

THE LOUISIANA FRAUD.

The New York *Sun* is the first to bring to light a fresh infamy connected with the Louisiana election case. It will be remembered that the aggregated returns from the different parishes of the State showed a majority for the highest elector on the Tilden ticket of over 9,000, and the Returning Board changed this by reducing the vote of that elector by 13,291, thus making him appear to receive nearly 4,000 fewer votes than the lowest candidate for elector on the Hayes ticket.

The *Sun* says that while these proceedings were going on in New Orleans, Mr. Hewitt, the Chairman of the National Democratic Committee, was approached in New York by persons from Louisiana, claiming to represent the members of the Returning Board, and offering for money to declare the Tilden electors elected.

Whether the persons making this proposition were authorized to make it by Mr. Wells and his associates, is not known; but it was in keeping with the reputation of the men, with the secrecy of their action, and with the fact that they refused to fill the vacancy in their Board—a refusal perfectly accounted for on the theory that they meant to make money by the declaration of the election, and wished to divide it among as small a number as possible.

In applying to Mr. Hewitt, however, they were disappointed. That gentleman indignantly refused to purchase a Presidential election.

THE WESTERN REPUBLICANS.

The Republican party of North Carolina is now "too dead to skin," if we may be allowed to quote an elegant phrase from Judge Settle's campaign speeches; nevertheless, the organization, fallen as it is, possesses some interest to the public. It will not be lost sight of entirely, although some of its leaders may—by the doors of the penitentiary closing upon them. The present status and future prospects of that party still command attention.

Our Bakersville correspondent, "Blue Ridge," says that there is a "perfect ground swell" in the Radical camp in the Western part of the State. A meeting has been held in which the Greensboro ring, and the off-shoot of it in Raleigh were severely denounced, for injustice to the Western Republicans, for[get]ry, and for the [elec]tion

letter indicate that the revolt of the Western Republicans, foreshadowed by "Buncombe" in his letters to the NEWS last summer, is about to take place. Already it has assumed definite shape, and a split has been produced which practically destroys the Republican organization in this State, and hands over all the Western counties to the complete control of the Democrats in the future.

COUNTY GOVERNMENTS.

We present elsewhere to-day a communication from one of the most thoughtful writers of the State upon the vital subject of remodelling our county governments. We invite communications on this all-important topic. Nothing will so rapidly and effectually promote the ends in view as a full, free discussion of the reforms needed, in the public prints.

The Legislature has taken the right step. A committee has been appointed to act upon this matter during the recess. Mr Shotwell, the originator of this committee, explained its design. He says it "will feel itself formally directed to feel the public pulse—ascertain the needs of the people—and draft outlines of legislation under each amendment; so that when we come back here in January we shall have a basis to work upon—a skeleton to fill up and clothe with the majesty of law. By meeting in the Capitol three days in advance of the session, the committee can compare notes, hear suggestions, deliberate, debate, and reach intelligent conclusions on perplexing questions."

THE coldest weather known for many years prevails in the mountains.

PERSONAL.

Don Pedro is in Palestine.

Dartmouth has students from Japan Burmah, and Brazil.

Senator Ingalls, of Kansas, is the dilettante scholar of the Senate.

Plye, the successor of Blaine in the House of Representatives, is a liliputian fellow with gray hair.

Senator Burnside's bald head is so sensitive cold that he wears a skull cap while in his seat in the Senate.

Dion Boucicault has contributed $500 to the sufferers by the Brooklyn fire, and suggests the opening of a subscription.

Mr. Edwin Booth has ducats most honorably earned. He has just paid $142,500 for a block of buildings in Chicago.

John Morrissey has declared off all the pools sold in his house at New York on the direct result of the Presidential election.

Garfield was once a college professor.

The kings of Sweden and Saxony, the Archduke Charles Lewis, of Austria, the Grand Dukes of Baden and Constantine of Russia, and the heir apparent of Denmark have become honorary members of the International Association for the Exploration and Civilization of Africa. The Prince of Wales has accepted the Presidency of the English National Committee.

POLITICAL NOTES.

It is said that Governor Grovers house is under guard as a precaution against threatened Republican outrages.

D. L. Downs, a Republican elector of Wisconsin, is a surgeon of the pension bureau and the Democrats claim he is ineligible. The Republicans argue, however, that a pension surgeon is not any office within contemplation of the constitution.

It is of vital importance that the country may be fully possessed of all material facts. The people have been wonderfully patient up to the present time, not because of indifference, or a determination to sanction a great national wrong, but from the conviction that when all the facts were known, it would become perpectly apparent to everybody that Governor Tilden had been fairly elected.—*Boston Post.*

The President may be pardoned for casting a wistful eye back upon his pet San Domingo project. It was a favorite speculation with the courtiers of the White House, and he evidently yet feels the wound that overthrew him in that struggle against Congress and public opinion. An expression of his regret over the ruins of San Domingo annexation and a graceful benediction close the last annual message of President Grant. It will be more criticised for what it omits than for what it contains, for the people looked anxiously for his views fully on the recent revolutionary political and military proceedings in the disputed Southern States; but he has doubt less reserved them for a special message when the vote of those States shall have been cast and the formal report of his friends excusing the fraud shall have reached him.—*Phila. Times.*

NORTH CAROLINA.

They are stealing cotton off the platform in Charlotte.

The tobacco crop in McDowell county was almost a failure the last season.

Thirty-one hundred marble headstones received at Newbern by cargo for Federal dead.

An incipent fire in the office of T. B. Keogh Greensboro, one day last week, created some excitement but did no harm.

A negro woman by the name of Bridget Watson was found frozen to death one day this week near Watson's mill, Nash county.

The Eastern Medical Association, a learned and progressive body of men held an interesting session in Tarboro on the 5th and 6th inst.

[Tele]graphic wires have got nearly [to] [Hen]station, and Asheville is raising [a] [sub]scription of $300 to have them [ex]tend to town.

[Here] are the names of the [Atlan]ta and Richmond [Taylor] Belden R. [Ryd]er P. Irvin, Hiram [Ack]erman, Eugene Kelly, William H. Fogg, Henry C. Hardy and Skipwith Wilmer. They own four thousand one hundred and seventy-eight of the first mortgage bonds of one thousand dollars each.

Measles has prostrated a considerable part of the population of Mecklenburg counts. It has broken up a school of 31 pupils, in the county.

The Charlotte *Observer* says that Mr. R. D. Wade, Master Machinest of the R. & D. Railroad shops, located at Company Shops, has been made Master Machinist of the of the shops in Richmond also, and has moved to that city.

When a Greensboro Democrat heard the news from Oregon, he stepped out on the street and gave a yell which caused two mules to run away with a load of shucks and caused a dray driver to have all the skin taken off his hands in holding his horse.

Charlotte *Observer* of Saturday: A peep at trade and College streets, yesterday about noon, would have certainly inspired confidence in the future of Charlotte as a cotton centre. A string of wagons from the court house to the depot were visible, all standing still and awaiting their turn at the cotton platform. On Trade street from Tryon to College there was a complete block for twenty minutes, when the police managed to make room for the passage of other vehicles, one at a time.

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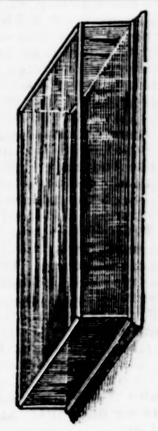

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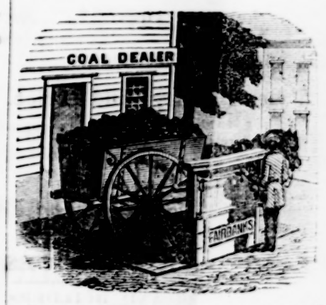

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The law requires that I shall settle with the State Treasurer on the first Monday of December. I therefore, for the last time, give notice I am now ready to receive the Taxes for the year 1876, and that unless all taxes are promptly paid the same will be collected by distress.
nov 9—1m S. M. DUNN, Sheriff.

THE DAILY NEWS.

TUESDAY.....DECEMBER 12, 1876.

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NEWS FROM THE MOUNTAINS.

Heavy Snow Storm--The Weather--Western Radicals--Dissatisfaction--Insurrection in the Party--Revolt.

BAKERSVILLE, D c 2nd, 1876.

Mr. Editor: This section was visited on the 29th and 30th ult., by the heaviest snow storm known for many years. Everything is blocked up and one can only keep comfortable indoors before a blazing fire. Court came to an abrupt close on Wednesday evening on account of the severe weather, it being impossible for suitors, jurors and witnesses to reach town from the country through the ice and snow.

There is a perfect ground swell in the Radical camp through this section.

I learn a meeting was held here yesterday participated in by many of the leaders from different counties, in which strong feeling was uttered against some of your Raleigh and Greensboro Radical leaders concerning the manner in which Western Republicans say they have been treated by the negro leaders of the East. Certainly much feeling is manifest and a strong movement portentous of no good to the Radical organization is on foot, if one may believe the signs of the times. A committee was appointed to prepare an address to the Republicans of the State, but what it is to contain, I am not informed, except those it is charged among well informed Republicans that all the campaign funds (of which it is alleged a large amount was sent to the State) was expended for the benefit of a few individuals, and some of it diverted to other purposes than those intended. It is also said that the Radical brethren of the East practice all sorts of bad faith, false promises and fraud on the Western leaders, and that some of the nominations in the last campaign were procured through *intrigue* and *fraud*.

A lively row is promised for the future. These Western Republicans are in earnest and some of them are men of stamina and won't submit longer to the domination of men every way their inferiors. Western Radicals have been tender footed on the negro question for years, and it would not be surprising if the arrogance of the negro champions of the East, drive them to desperation.

Gov. Brogden is severely denounced on account of the late judicial appointment, and is roundly cursed by a number of prominent men here on account of alleged bad faith. It is said the place was promised to Henry, and Henry's place to Bowman, and if all is true as asserted and which seems well supported and corroborated and capable of proof Brogden is certainly guilty of some very *dirty* trickery to obtain his own and other nominations.

Of course this is no fight of ours, for while the Democracy would greatly prefer Henry as among Radicals, still it is a family affair at which we are not a mourner, and have nothing to do, but enjoy the development of Radical rascality.

There is great hope of Tilden's success, and the people are profoundly thankful for the great victory under our glorious leader, Vance. It is so cold I must close for the present, promising that you shall hear from me again from time to time.

Yours truly,
BLUE RIDGE.

County Government.

Mr. Editor:—This subject is full of difficulty. Thought has been intently directed to it, but has not yet assumed any tangible shape in expression.

The people of some of the eastern counties cannot, I apprehend, get all the relief they desire, under the amendments, or that is desired for them by large numbers of western men. In order to avert objections to the amendments, many candidates for the Legislature in the western counties, and possibly in some central and eastern counties, came under obligation to their constituencies, more or less definitely expressed, not to interfere radically with the popular franchise in the townships. The alternative presented itself between the township system, and the old county court system, founded upon the appointment of justices by the Legislature, and now unmistakably wanting in popular favor. In probably much the larger number of counties in the State the people have become accustomed to the townships, and they are working well. The right and exercise of suffrage in this system cannot be withdrawn without serious hazard to the power which our party has legitimately obtained, and which it becomes us to exercise with a discreet view to perpetuation for the general good. Revolutions exceeding suffrage like all other revolutions, never go backwards; and any attempt now to reverse it, however honest the impulse, would result in disaster to the individuals or the party attempting it, and in ultimate failure of the object purposed.

In view of these difficulties, permit me to throw out a suggestion which may be the nucleus of some practical thought on the subject:

Let the townships stand as they are, and the justices be elected as at present; but require of each recipient of the office these qualifications: ability to read and write, to keep a legible docket of his judicial proceedings, and a fair account of all moneys received and paid out by virtue of his office; and also be required to give bond, with sufficient surety, in the sum of $———, to be approved by the judge of probate, or by the retiring board of commissioners, for the faithful administration of such funds as may come into his hands.

The justices so elected in each county to meet within ——— days after election, and choose not less than three nor more than five of their number as county commissioners.

Such is the outline of a plan that might afford much relief where needed, and might not be objectionable to those who are content with the present system.

Granted the authority to receive and pay out judgments and costs—Would not the obligation of a bond go far to insure capability and fidelity in office, and the exercise of that intelligence and experience in municipal affairs which would command the respect and confidence of the community of all classes?

If thought advisable, the board of commissioners, as above constituted, might bind out orphan children; also grant letters of administration, letters testamentary, appoint guardians and take bonds in these cases. It would, perhaps, be safer for heirs and orphans than to leave it to one man, (the judge of probate,) no matter how careful he may be. It might, possibly, also, be well for this board to try many of the minor offenses which now encumber the Superior Court docket, to the detriment and delay of more important business, and to the ruinous expense of the accused, who are generally poor men. It should be done, however, without the expense of a jury, which would hardly be advisable in such a forum. In laying county taxes, a majority of justices should be present.

These suggestions have by no means assumed the shape and proportions of a *hobby* with the writer; but are thrown out with all deference to the better information and superior wisdom of the trusted citizens who are revolving this matter in their minds.

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Apply to
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VALUABLE HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE.

Will be sold at Public Auction, on Thursday the 14th day of December next, for ASH a H use and Lot, situated on Davie Street, in the eastern part of the city of Raleigh in the 2nd ward, near the property of J J Nowell and I. D. Smith. The lot contains ½ acre, upon which there is a good two-story dwelling house with 6 rooms, ng d repair, a well of good water pretty shade trees and all the conveniences to make it desirable as a home.

Piece o sale, on the premises. Time of sale 12 o'clock, M. The property is a part of Sabra Pulney's estate.

Nov. 14-1m. LEGATEES.

LAND SALE.

In pursuance of a decree of the Supreme Court of North Carolina rendered at the June term 1876, of the said court, we will proceed to sell on the premises at Ha, on, on the 10th of January 1877, that valuable tract of land lying on Roanoke River in Halifax county, known as "CONOCONARIE," containing Two (2,000) Thousand Acres—more or less.

Also at same time and place the adjoining premises known as "PELTON'S," containing Eighteen (1800) Hundred Acres—more or less.

TERMS:—One third cash, balance one and two years, with 8 per cent. interest. Title retained till purchase money is paid.

JOHN DEVEREUX,
WALTER CLARK,
Dec 5-d&w-td Commissioners.
Roanoke News copy.

LAND SALE.

In pursuance of a decree of the Supreme Court of North Carolina rendered at the June term 1876, of said court, we will proceed to sell at Shoal Landing on the premises at 1 o'clock, p. m., on the 10th of January 1877 that valuable tract of land lying on Roanoke river in Northampton county, known as "POLENTA," containing about two thousand acres.

TERMS:—One third cash, balance in one and two years with 8 per cent. interest.—Title retained until purchase money is paid.

WALTER CLARK,
JOHN DEVEREUX
Dec 5 d&w 14. Commissioners.
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SALE OF VALUABLE LAND AT AUCTION.

By virtue of a judgment renddered at the last term of Wake Superior Court in the case of W. N. H. Smith assignee of Ellen Harrison and others against W. Gaul Brenaman & Comp'y, I shall on the 1st day of January 1877, at the Court House door at Raleigh, sell for cash, that parcel of land known as the Rourke land on north side of Nevberna Avenue, adjoining lands of N. V. Denton and others and estimated to contain fifteen and 11 100 acres.

W. W. SMITH,
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Dec. 5-law-tw

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LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE.

By virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of Franklin County, we will sell at auction, to the highest bidder, on the premises, on Friday, the 29th of December, 1876, two thousand six hundred and ninety (2,690) acres of LAND lying in Franklin county, Gold Mine Township, it being the land on which the late Dr. Thos. Davis, formerly resided; said land will be sold in small tracts to suit parties who wish to secure homes.

Terms: Ten per cent cash; balance payable in three equal annual installments with interest from date.

THOMAS BRANCH,
M. D. STAMPER
nov 29—D1m Commissioners.

NOTICE.

By virtue of two mortgages on real estate, made to me by Clinton W. Williams and Gaston H. Wilder registered in Book 36, page 291-2, and Book 39, page 308, Wake Registry, I will sell at public auction at the Court House door in the city of Raleigh, on Tuesday, the 2d day of January 1877, two Lots of land situated near the southeastern part of said city, lying on the south side of the Hillsboro road and formerly owned by J. H. Kirkham, but containing about one half of an acre. On one there is a good dwelling house. They will be sold separately. Terms cash.

WM. R. POOL, Agent
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GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	MAIL.
Leave Charlotte,	4 55 A. M.
" Air Line Junction,	5.29 "
" Salisbury	7.35 "
" Greensboro,	9 55 "
" Danville,	12 28 P. M.
" Dundee	12.46 "
" Burkeville,	5.05 "
" Ar. Richmond	7 43 "

GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	MAIL.
Leave Richmond	7.50 A. M.
" Burkeville,	10.46 "
" Dundee	2.55 P. M.
" Danville	2.9 "
" Greensboro	5.40 "
" Salisbury	8 45 "
" Air-Line Junction,	10 25 "
Ar've at Charlotte,	10.57 "

STATIONS.	GOING EAST. MAIL.	GOING WEST. MAIL.
Leave Greensboro	10.05 A M	Ar. 5.25 P M
" Co. Shops,	11 21 "	L've 4 15 "
" Raleigh,	2.41 P M	" 1?,30 "
Arr. Goldsboro,	5 5 "	L've 10.10 "

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SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE,
Raleigh, N. C., Oct. 30, 1876.

On and after Monday, October 30, 1876 trains will run as follows:

TRAIN MOVING SOUTH.

	Arrive	Leave
Raleigh,		6.30 A. M.
Cary,	7.00 A. M.	7.20 "
Apex,	7.30 "	7.55 "
New Hill,	8.25 "	8.30 "
Merry Oaks,	9.00 "	9.05 "
Moncure,	9.35 "	9.45 "
Osgood,	10.15 "	10.20 "
Sanford,	10.50 "	11.05 "
Munn,	11.35 "	11.37 "
Cameron,	12.07 P. M.	

TRAIN MOVING NORTH.

	Arrive	Leave
Raleigh,	6.40 P. M.	
Cary,	5.52 "	6.00 P. M.
Apex,	5.17 "	5.22 "
New Hill,	4.42 "	4.47 "
Merry Oaks,	4.07 "	4.12 "
Moncure,	3.32 "	3.37 "
Osgood,	2.47 "	2.52 "
Sanford,	2.02 "	2.17 "
Munn,	1.30 "	1.32 "
Cameron,		1.00 "

J. C. WINDER, Superintendent.

CHANGE OF SCHEDULE

OFFICE SUP'T OF TRANSPORTATION,
SEABORD & ROANOKE RAILROAD CO.,
PORTSMOUTH, VA., Sept. 14, 1875.

On and after WEDNESDAY, the 15th instant, trains will leave Portsmouth, daily, except Sundays, as follows:

Mail train at 5.50 A. M.
No. 1 Freight train at 10.30 A. M
No. 2 Freight train, except Saturdays, at 7.15 P. M

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Mail train daily at 7.15 P. M
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E. G. GHIO,
se 15—tf Supt. of Transportation

CHANGE OF SCHEDULE,

RALEIGH & GASTON RAILROAD,
SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE,
Raleigh, N. C., Oct. 9th, 1875.

On and after Monday, October 9th, 1876, trains on the Raleigh & Gaston Railroad will run daily (Sunday excepted) as follows:

MAIL TRAIN.

Leaves Raleigh, 9:30 A. M.
Arrives at Weldon, 3:00 P. M.
Leaves Weldon, 12:40 P. M.
Arrives at Raleigh, 5:10 P. M.

ACCOMMODATION TRAIN.

Leaves Raleigh, 5:00 A. M.
Arrives at Weldon, 5:25 P. M.
Leaves Weldon, 5:00 A. M.
Arrives at Raleigh, 5:15 P. M.

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Oct. 15—3m.

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OFFICE GENERAL SUPERINTENDENT,
Wilmington, N. C., May 12, 1876.

CHANGE OF SCHEDULE.

On and after the 14th inst., trains will run over this road as follows

PASSENGER AND MAIL TRAINS Daily, (Sundays excepted.)

Leave Wilmington at..... 6 20 p. m
Arrive in Charlotte at..... 6 40 a. m
Leave Charlotte at..... 6 30 p. m.
Arrive at Wilmington at..... 7 30 a. m.

FAST FREIGHT AND PASSENGER TRAINS—Daily, except Sundays.

Leave Wilmington at..... 5 30 a. m
Arrive at Charlotte at..... 11 45 p. m.
Leave Charlotte at..... 5 20 a. m.
Arrive at Wilmington at..... 11 30 p. m

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Arrive at Shelby at..... 11 30 a. m.
Leave Shelby..... 1 30 p. m

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LATEST TELEGRAPHIC NEWS

CONGRESSIONAL PROCEEDINGS.

The House and Senate--Resolutions of Investigation the Order of the Day --Debate on the Proposed Constitutional Amendment.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—Among the bills introduced and referred were the following by Darrall, of Louisiana: Authorizing the State of Louisiana to close the month of Bayou Lafourche where it opens into the Mississippi; also one to apply the proceeds of the sale of public lands to the education of the people.

Banning, of Ohio, moved to suspend the rules, and adopt the resolution reciting the eulogium passed on J. Madision Wells, of the Louisiana returning board, in Senator Sherman's report to the President, and calling on the President for copies from the War Department of all reports orders and correspondence connected with General Sheridan's removal of Wells from the Governorship of Louisiana in 1867, which was defeated by a vote of 141 to 80, not the necessary two-thirds. McDougal offered a resolution for the appointment of a select committee on election frauds as follows:

Committee of nine for New Yerk, Brooklyn and Jersey City; five for Virginia, the second and fourth Congressional Districts; nine for Mississippi; five for Philadelphia; three for Alabama. It was negatived, yeas 22; nays 88, not the necessary two-thirds.

Cox then offered a resolution for a committee on frauduient registration and fraudulent voting in the cities of New York, Philadelphia, Brooklyn and Jersey City. Adopted.

On motion of Goode, of Virginia, the Judiciary Committee was instructed to inquire and report on the legality of the circular letter issued by the Attorney-General, during the late Presidential campaign to United States Marshals in relation to their powers and duties on such election.

A resolution was offered by Spencer, of Louisiana, inquiring into intimidation practiced on Government employes during the late election to compel them to contribute to the election fund, was defeated for the want of a two-thirds vote.

SENATE—Bogy desired to present, for the purpose of having printed, the report of five Democrats invited by the Returning Board of Louisiana to be present at the canvass of the votes.

Hamlin asked if it was addressed to the Senate.

Bogy replied no, nor was the report of the other committee.

Mr. Edmunds said if Bogy turned the paper into a petition it would be proper to print it.

Bogy said he would have the paper read as a part of his speech.

Finally it was decided to present it in the form of a petition to-morrow. It covers 8,000 words.

The chairmen of the sub-committees of Privileges and Elections were empowered to administer oaths.

Boutwell was excused from serving on the committee.

A petition from Gen. Jos. E. Johnson and Gen. M. L. Bonham was presented, asking for a removal of their political disabilities.

The Senate then resumed consideration of the unfinished business, being the joint resolution of Mr. Edmunds, proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States to have the electoral vote for President and Vice-President count, ed by the Supreme Court, and the amendment of the Judiciary Committee authorizing the electors to vote *viva voce* instead of by ballot was agreed to.

Mr. Morton opposed the clause providing that the court shall in the discharge of the duty disregard errors of form and be governed by the substantial right of the matter. He argued that this clause would give to the Supreme Court a boundless jurisdiction; it would authorize that body to do almost anything; perhaps to go and count the votes in the State of Vermont. Such a jurisdiction should not be conferred upon any tribunal as it was dangerous.

Mr. Edmunds said the object of the clause was not to authorize the court to exercise boundless jurisdiction, or go anywhere to count the votes of citizens, but it was to authorize the court to do exactly what all courts do in matters which they are called upon to try, and that was to disregard forms and decide the substantial right of the matter. He then explained at length the provisions of the joint resolution proposing the amendment to the constitution. It was not a device, as some of the newspapers had intimated, to swap horses in crossing a stream; it was introduced by him in the Senate on the 22nd of March last, almost a year ago and reported favorably by the Judiciary Committee, with amendments, on the 12th of May following, before either of the Presidential candidates were nominated. He then referred to the proceedings of the Convention which framed the Constitution and said he had been unable to find anything in the debates of the Convention which threw light upon the clause of the Constitution in regard to the count of electoral votes in the presence of the two houses of Congress. The extent of the power of the presiding officer as to the count was not defined. In refering to the last section of the proposed amendment, making it applicable to the present contest if ratified in time, Mr. Edmunds said he did not share in what was said by parties who should not have made use of such expressions, that there was danger of any civil convulsion by force. There would not be such trouble unless it was forced by the men who care more for what they can make out of war than for the peace of their country. If the two Houses of Congress could not agree in regard to the last election, it did not follow that the wise men, and patriotic men, would think they must fall back on their muskets. He did not think the good sense of this nation, with its love for law, was going to allow any dispute as to wich of the two men voted for last November should appoint postmasters and sign commissions during the next four years. There would be found somewhere in the constitution a way to settle it peaceably. No action.

Oglesly has appointed on the Committee of Privileges and Elect on *vice* Boutwell.

Adjourned.

Death of Geo. A. Trenholm.

CHARLESTON, S. C., Dec 12—Hon. Geo. A. Trenholm, Secretary of the Treasury of the Confederate Government at the time of the collapse, is dead, aged 70 years.

WASHINGTON.

The Expense of Election Investigations--The Oregon Investigation--Governor Grover and the Secretary of State to be Summoned--The Colorado Matter--Chandler's Telegrams Wanted.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—The Senate passed the House bill appropriating $21 000 to defray the expenses of the special committees of the House to investigate the recent elections in South Carolina, Louisiana and Florida, with an amendment appropriating $50,000 to defray the expenses of the Committee on Privileges and Elections in making the investigation authorized by the resolution of Mr. Edmunds.

The Committee on Elections and Privileges of the Senate agreed to take up the Oregon investigation as proposed in Senator Mitchell's resolution. The investigation has been referred to a sub-committee consisting of Senators Morton, Logan and Kernan. Gov. Grover and the Secretary of State of Oregon will be summoned. The programme telegraphed Saturday is in all other respects adopted.

The committees for Florida South Carolina and Louisiana, leave for the scene of their labors Saturday.

The Judiciary Committee of the House considered the case of the representative from Colorado this morning. It will take action tomorrow.

It is stated the Congressional Committee demanded the telegrams sent by Secretary Chandler, also those sent by William E. Chandler, who has been in Florida during the canvass.

BUTCHERY IN SOUTH CAROLINA.

The Effects of Grantism--White Men Ambushed and Shot Down--Discovery of a Fiendish Plot--White Men to be Murdered and White Women Captured--The Result of Radical Rule.

COLUMBIA, S. C., Dec. 11.—It is reported that ten negroes, who shot one white man, and killed another at Lowndesville, were taken from the sheriff's posse, and lynched by Georgians.

LATER.

CHARLESTON, S. C., Dec 11.—Sixteen negroes were arrested in Abbeville county, charged with the murder of two white men, whom they ambushed and shot near Lowndesville on Monday. Six of the negroes made a full confession, implicating their fellow prisoners and divulging a plot for the murder of the white men of the village, and the capture of the women. Twenty of them were in the conspiracy, and they had begun the butchery by slaughtering the white men. Of the sixteen arrested thirteen were started from Lowndesville to Anderson, the intention being to send them from Anderson to Abbeville by railroad. This roundabout course was adopted to avoid lynching by men who were said to be on the direct road from Lowndesville to Abbeville. The prisoners started for Anderson on Saturday under strong guard, but up to evening they have not been heard from. It is rumored that they have been intercepted and lynched by a party from Georgia, but no confirmation of the report has yet reached Charleston. Two of the prisoners had been hurt when captured, and the party may have stopped on the road to ease the wounded, especially as the weather has been so cold.

THE MURDEROUS PLOT.

The Negro Conspirators In Jail at Walhalla--One Commits Suicide.--Judge Bond's Decision--The Board of State Canvassers Discharged from Custody.

COLUMBIA, S. C., Dec. 11.—Positive information has been received here that the Lowndesville murderers have not been lynched, but have been removed to Walhalla, O'Connor county, as a precaution against violence. The investigation discloses that the plot to murder the whites indiscriminately was horrible, which aroused excitement among the whites to the extent of threatening summary punishment. The precaution taken averted this and everything is now quiet. One of the captured murderers took laudanum and died from the effects. A jury in his case rendered a verdict of suicide.

Judge Bond has delivered a decision discharging the Board of State Canvassers from custody on the ground that the Supreme Court of the State had no jurisdiction.

LOCAL MATTERS.

——Not a single sheriff settled yesterday.

——Remarks concerning the weather are now in order.

——The Register of Deeds issued two marriage licenses yesterday.

——The confectionery stores are filled with Christmas tricks, which draw better than telegraphic dispatches.

——Sheriff Dunn is still sufficiently in office to be hunting around after people who have not paid their taxes.

——The most of the members drew their pay yesterday. There will be little more than a quorum to-day in either House.

——There is some misunderstanding as to where the committee of the House on military affairs is to meet to-night. Will the chairman please rise and explain?

——An adjourned meeting of the Board of Alderman will be held to-night at the Mayor's office, at which time the committee of citizens on the funding of the city debt will meet with the Board.

——The schedule of the mail trains on the Raleigh & Gaston Railroad changes to-day. Henceforth the train will arrive 5:20 P. M. instead of 5:40. It will leave at the same hour as a present.

——Capt. Natt Atkinson, of Buncombe, who is now in this city, has just received notice from the Centennial Commission that the judges have decreed him an award for his display of North Carolina apples, on exhibition at the Centennial.

——The committee to solicit contributions to be used in preparation for the inauguration will begin their work today. It is to be hoped that the citizens will respond liberally to the call made upon them, as this inauguration will be no small thing in the way of the people who will attend it.

——The Democratic members of the General Assembly have agreed, in caucus, to subscribe $200 to go toward defraying the expenses of the inaugural ceremonies, and nearly all of the money has been raised. When Gov. Holden was inaugurated the Republican Legislature made an appropriation from the State Treasury for this purpose.

Judge Fowle Summoned to Washington.

Last evening Judge Fowle, one of the Democratic electors for the State at large, received the following telegram:

OFFICE SERGEANT-AT-ARMS,
U. S. SENATE CHAMBER,
WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 11

Hon Daniel G. Fowle Raleigh, N. C.

Pursuant to lawful authority, you are hereby commanded to appear forthwith before the committee of the Senate of the United States on Privileges and Elections, at the committee room in the capitol at Washington, then and there to testify what you may know relative to the subject matter under consideration by said committee. What day may you be expected? Please answer by telegraph immediately.

JOHN R. FRENCH,
Sergeant-at-Arms U. S. Senate.

The question which naturally arises is, what does it mean? Judge Fowle supposes that he is summoned to Washington to testify regarding alleged frauds in this State, and this seems the most natural solution of the question. He will leave for Washington Thursday morning, it being impossible for him to get away earlier than that day, and he telegraphed last night to that effect.—There is not a peg upon which to hang a charge of fraud in connection with the North Carolina election, and we shall look for Congress to throw out Kentucky about as soon as it does this State.

Recovered by Accident.

Mr. Joseph A. Haywood has recovered the horse which was stolen from him, and which has been advertised the NEWS. Some days ago, a darkey who lives on the plantation of Mr. William Boylan, in Johnson county, was riding along the road on an old mule belonging to Mr. Boylan, when he met a strange darkey on a good horse. They engaged in a conversation which ended in a trade, the strange negro swapping the horse even for the mule. Yesterday Mr. Boylan's tenant rode the horse for which he had traded up to Raleigh to show him to Mr. Boylan, and to learn how he liked the trade. Mr. Haywood accidentally saw him on the street, and identified the horse as the one which had been stolen from him.

Election of Officers of Wm. G. Hill Lodge.

At a meeting of Wm. G. Hill Lodge, No. 218, A. F & A. M, held last night under special dispensation from the Grand Master, the following officers were elected for the ensuing term:

W. M.—W. R. Cox.
Senior Warden—D. E. Everitt.
Junior Warden—B. C. Manly.
Secretary and Treasurer—Wm. Simpson.
Secretary—W. P. Wetherell.

Called Home.

Senator Sandifer, of the counties of Gaston and Cleaveland, was summoned home yesterday by a telegram announcing the sudden death of his brother in-law, W. A. Moore, Esq., a prominent citizen of Dallas, Gaston county. We learn also of the death, from consumption, of Sheriff Rhyne, of Gaston.

A Benefit for the Poor.

Messrs. Kingsley and Ashely will devote the proceeds of their planing mills, on Thursday next to the poor of Raleigh. All who have planing to do will accomplished a double purpose by giving their work to Kingsley and Ashely on that day.

Funeral Notices.

HOWARD.—The funeral of the late J. W. HOWARD will take place from Christ Church this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The friends and acquaintances of the family are invited to attend

BUSINESS NOTICES.

Ladies glove kid, [illegible] and button boots, soft [illegible] for tender feet, just opened at Heller Bros., shoe store, No. 31 Fayetteville Street.

Broad bottom and low [illegible] hand-sewed gaiters, and [illegible] Alexis, at Heller Bros. [illegible] store, No. 31 Fayetteville Street.

Rubbers! Rubbers!! Rubbers!!! Ladies rubber over-shoes and footholds at 75c Gents selfacting rubbers at 1.00. Misses and children's rubbers at 50 and 75c. at Heller Bros. shoe store.

The best quality boys and girls school shoes and children's silver tipped shoes at Heller Bros. regular shoe store, No. 31 Fayetteville Street.

Virginia penitentiary sewed brogans at reduced prices, and the best quality pegged brogans and plow shoes for men women and boys, at Heller Bros.

A large stock of ladies and gent's embroidered, and opera slippers something nice for Christmas, at Heller Bros. shoe store.

Lumsden has just received another lot of "Acorn Cook Stoves," given up by all who have used them as being the best in the market—took the premium at our last two State Fairs—it is over all others—A large lot of stoves of all kinds and sizes—at bottom prices, at Lumsden's Silver Medal City Stove Store.

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Strict Low Middlings,	10¾@11	"
Low Middlings,	10¾	"
Strict Good Ordinary,	10¼@10½	"
Good Ordinary,	10@10¼	"
Ordinary,	9¾	"
Clean Stains,	10¾	"
Dirty Stains,	9	"

General Merchandise.

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By appointment from Board of Trade.

COTTON TIES, new, 100 bundles, 6¼ cts.
" " 30 " 6¾
BAGGING, 2¼ lb., 10 yard 500 yds, 13¾.
FLOUR, N. C. family, (wagons) $5.7 @6.00
" extra $5.50@5.75
CORN, old 72½c.
CORN MEAL, 67½.
MEAT, Clear Rib Bulk Sides, 9¾@10.
LARD, Western 14
COFFEE, Rio, 20@24
SUGAR, white 12 12½
" Yellow 10½@11½
SALT, Liverpool Fine, 1.80.
LEATHER, hard sole, 21@23
BUTTER, N. C., 25@30.
BEESWAX, 20@25.
EGGS, per dozen, 7½@20 cts
BAGS, 2¼.
OATS, shelled, 50.
" seed 80 cts
FODDER, 1 @1.10.
PUTATOES, sweet, 3 a35cts. per bushel.
" Irish 60a1 00

Telegraphic Market Report.

NOON.

LONDON, Dec. 11.—Erie 8¼.

PARIS, Dec. 11.—Rentes 101a150

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 11—Cotton, buoyant—middling uplands 6 11-16; middling orleans 7/16. Sales 25 000 bales for speculation; export 5 000; receipts 14 300.

NEW YORK, December 11.—Stocks active very unsettled, lower and feverish. Money 4. Gold 7¼. Exchange, long 482; short 484 State bonds quiet and lower. Governments dull and unsettled. Cotton firm; uplands 12¾; orleans 12 7 16. Sales 3,616 bales.

Flour dull, unchanged. Wheat quiet, nominally unchanged. Corn dull, unchanged. Pork steady; mess 17.00a17.25 Lard firm; steam 10 40a10 42½. Spirits turpentine firm at 42. Rosin firm; strained 210. Freights firm.

BALTIMORE, Dec. 11—Flour strong, demand fair. Wheat firm, quiet. Corn quiet steady; western fairly active, easier; new southern white and yellow 51a56.

NIGHT.

NEW YORK, Dec. 11—Cotton firm, sales 1,872 bales at 12¾a12 7 16. Consolidated net receipts 68 193; exports to Great Britain 36 280; Continent 4 739; Channel 4 888.

Futures closed steady; net receipts 608; gross 4 706; sales 3,000—Dec. 12¾@13-32; January 12 9-16; February 12¾@12 32; March 12 15-16@13-3; April 13¼; May 13 9 32; June 3 13 32; July 13 17-32a9-16; August 13⅝.

GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA.

SENATE.

The following is an accurate list of the Senators elect. The Democrats are marked "d," the Republicans are designated by the letter "r."

1st District—Currituck, Camden, Pasquotank, Hertford, Gates, Chowan and Perquimans—Octavius Coke, of Chowan, d; William C. Mercer, of Currituck, d.

2nd District—Tyrrell, Washington, Martin, Dare, Beaufort, Pamlico and Hyde—Charles Latham d; W. T. Caho, d.

3rd District—Northampton and Bertie—George A. Mebane, r.

4th District—Halifax—John Bryant, col'd, r.

5th District—Edgecombe—W. P. Mabson, col'd, r.

6th District—Pitt—Jos. B. Stickney, d.

7th District—Wilson, Nash, and Franklin—N. W. Boddie, of Nash, d; Henry G. Williams, of Wilson, d.

8th District—Craven—Geo. Green, r.

9th District—Jones, Onslow, and Carteret—Benjamin F. Askew, of Jones, d.

10th District—Duplin and Wayne—John D. Stanford, of Duplin, d; I. F. Dortch, of Wayne, d.

11th District—Green and Lenoir—W. W. Dunn, r.

12th District—New Hanover—W. H. Moore, col'd, r.

13th District—Brunswick and Bladen—I. N. Bennett, d.

14th District—Sampson—J. L. Stewart, d.

15th District—Columbus and Robeson—Henry B. Short, d.

16th District—Cumberland and Harnett—W. C. Troy, d.

17th District—Johnston—L. R. Waddell, d.

18th District—Wake—R. W. Wynne r

19th District—Warren—John W. Thorne, r.

20th District—Orange, Person and Caswell—John W. Graham, of Orange d; John W. Cunningham, of Person d.

21st District-Granville—H. T. Hughes, col'd, r.

22nd District—Chatham—W. G. Albright, d.

23rd District—Rockingham—W. N. Mebane, d.

24th District—Alamance and Guilford—Thos. M. Holt, of Alamance, d; Junius I. Scales, of Guilford, d.

25th District—Randolph and Moore—M. S. Robins, d.

26th District—Richmond and Montgomery—H. C. Dockery of Richmond, r.

27th District—Anson and Union—Ed. R. Liles, of Anson d.

28th District—Cabarrus and Stanly—L. G Heilig, of Cabarrus, d.

29th District—Mecklenburg—Thomas J. Moore, d.

30th District—Rowan and Davie—William H. Crawford, of Rowan, d.

31st District—Davidson—B. B. Roberts, d

32nd District—Stokes and Forsythe—Thomas J. Wilson, of Forsythe d.

33rd District—Surry and Yadkin—John G. Marler, of Yadkin, d.

34th District—Iredell, Wilkes and Alexander—Thomas A. Nicholson, of Iredell, d; Tyre York, of Wilkes, d.

35th District—Alleghany, Ashe and Watauga—Hervey Bingham, of Watauga, d.

36th District—Caldwell, Burke, McDowell, Mitchell and Yancey—G. N. Folk, of Caldwell, d; C. F. Young, of Yancey, d.

37th District—Catawba and Lincoln—S. M. Finger, of Catawba, d.

38th District—Gaston and Cleaveland—Robert W Sandifer, of Gaston, d.

39th District—Rutherford and Polk—M. H. Justice, of Rutherford, d.

40th District—Buncombe and Madison—Thomas D Johnston, of Buncombe d.

41st District—Haywood, Henderson and Transylvania—G S. Ferguson, d.

42nd District—Jackson Swain, Macon, Cherokee, Clay and Graham—J. L. Robinson, of Macon, d.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Alamance—Daniel Worth, d.
Alexander—Milton Stevenson, d.
Alleghany—E L. Vaughn, d.
Anson—B. I. Dunlap, d.
Ashe—Joseph Todd, d.
Beaufort—Decatur W. Jarvis, d.
Bertie—W. T. Ward r.
Bladen—John H. Clark, d.
Brunswick—D. L. Russell, r.
Buncombe—M. E. Carter, d; J. C. Sams, d.
Burke—J. W. Wilson, d.
Cabarrus—E. Harris d.
Caldwell—J. M. Houk, d.
Camden—J. K. Abbott, d.
Carteret—W. V. Geffroy, d.
Caswell—Wilson Cary, col'd, r, Thos. Harrison, r.
Catawba—Dr. Yount, d.
Chatham—J. M. Moring, d; R. J. Powell, d.
Cherokee and Graham—J. W. Cooper, d.
Chowan—Townsend E. Ward, r.
Clay—W H. McLure, d.
Cleaveland—R. McBrayer, d.
Columbus—V. V. Richardson, d.
Craven—W. E. Clarke, r; Henry H. Simmons, r.
Cumberland—I. W. Godwin, G. M. Rose.
Currituck—Hilliard Baxter, d.
Dare—G. L. Fulcher, d.
Davidson—M. H. Pinnix, d; J. A. Leach, d.
Davie—Charles Price, d.
Duplin—A. G. Moseley, d: J. G. Kenan, d.
Edgecombe—W. A. Duggan, r; Willis Bunn, r.
Forsythe—Edgar Lineback, r.
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